



COPY OF PAPERS  
ORIGINALLY FILED

2151  
PATENT  
2207/9864 ✓

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT : Manoj KHARE et al.  
SERIAL NO. : 09/891,522  
FILING DATE : 06/27/2001  
GROUP ART UNIT : Unknown  
FOR : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MANAGING  
TRANSACTION REQUESTS IN A MULTI-NODE  
ARCHITECTURE  
EXAMINER : Unknown

RECEIVED  
MAY 02 2002  
Technology Center 2100

Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97**

S I R:


In accordance with Applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56(a) and §1.97(c), the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449 are hereby brought to the Examiner's attention. Copies of the first page of each reference only is enclosed. Also enclosed is a Compact disc (CD) containing a complete set of all the references listed. Hard copies of the references listed can be provided should the Examiner prefer to do so. These references were uncovered through a keyword computer search. Based on the titles for these patent references, they are considered less relevant than the IDS filed on February 25, 2002.

It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear in the "references cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

Respectfully submitted,

KENYON & KENYON

Date: April 12, 2002

By:   
Shawn W. O'Dowd (Reg. No. 34,687)

KENYON & KENYON  
333 West San Carlos, Suite 600  
San Jose, CA 95110  
(408) 975-7500  
(408) 975-7501 (fax)



CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that the following documents are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in a large envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231, with regard to Docket No. 2207/9864, Serial No. 09/891,522

1. Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 C.F.R. 1.97
2. 1st ~~page~~ only for 58 References Listed on IDS
3. 1 CD containing complete set of all 58 References
4. Postcard

Dated: April 18, 2002

KENYON & KENYON

By: Pilar Rodriguez  
Pilar M. Rodriguez



**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE  
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT**

ATTY. DOCKET NO.  
**2207/9864**

SERIAL NO.  
**09/891,522**

**COPY OF PAPERS  
ORIGINALLY FILED**

APPLICANT(S) **Manoj KHARE et al.**

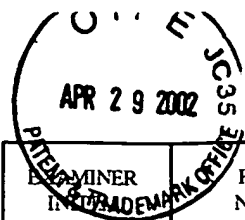
FILING DATE **06/27/2001**

GROUP **Unknown**

**U. S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

EXAMINER INITIAL	PATENT NUMBER	PATENT DATE	NAME	CLASS/ SUBCLASS	FILING DATE
	5,485,579	January 16, 1996	Hitz et al.	395/200.12	
	5,495,419	February 27, 1996	Rostoker et al.	364/468	
	5,551,048	August 27, 1996	Steely, Jr.	395/800	
	5,557,533	September 17, 1996	Koford et al.	364/491	
	5,588,132	December 24, 1996	Cardoza	395/475	
	5,590,345	December 31, 1996	Barker et al.	395/800	
	5,594,918	January 14, 1997	Knowles et al.	395/800	
	5,625,836	April 29, 1997	Barker et al.	395/800	
	5,634,004	May 27, 1997	Gopinath et al.	395/200.02	
	5,636,125	June 3, 1997	Rostoker et al.	364/468.28	
	5,678,026	October 14, 1997	Vartti et al.	395/479	
	5,682,322	October 28, 1997	Boyle et al.	364/491	
	5,701,313	December 23, 1997	Purdham	371/40.2	
	5,710,935	January 20, 1998	Barker et al.	395/800	
	5,713,037	January 27, 1998	Wilkinson et al.	395/800	
	5,717,943	February 10, 1998	Barker et al.	395/800	
	5,717,944	February 10, 1998	Wilkinson et al.	395/800	
	5,734,921	March 31, 1998	Dapp et al.	395/800.1	
	5,742,510	April 21, 1998	Rostoker et al.	364/468.03	
	5,745,363	April 28, 1998	Rostoker et al.	364/468.28	
	5,752,067	May 12, 1998	Wilkinson et al.	395/800.16	
	5,754,871	May 19, 1998	Wilkinson et al.	395/800	
	5,761,523	June 2, 1998	Wilkinson et al.	395/800.2	

**RECEIVED**  
**MAY 02 2001**  
Technology Center 2



PATENT NUMBER	PATENT DATE	NAME	CLASS/ SUBCLASS	FILING DATE
5,765,011	June 9, 1998	Wilkinson et al.	395/800.2	
5,781,439	July 14, 1998	Rostoker et al.	364/468.28	
5,784,697	July 21, 1998	Funk et al.	711/170	
5,793,644	August 11, 1998	Koford et al.	364/491	
5,794,059	August 11, 1998	Barker et al.	395/800.1	
5,815,403	September 29, 1998	Jones et al.	364/489	
5,842,031	November 24, 1998	Barker et al.	395/800	
5,848,254	December 8, 1998	Hagersten	395/383	
5,857,113	January 5, 1999	Muegge et al.	395/830	
5,867,649	February 2, 1999	Larson	395/200.31	
5,870,313	February 9, 1999	Boyle et al.	364/491	
5,870,619	February 9, 1999	Wilkinson et al.	395/800.2	
5,875,117	February 23, 1999	Jones et al.	364/491	
5,875,201	February 23, 1999	Bauman et al.	371/49.1	
5,878,241	March 2, 1999	Wilkinson et al.	395/379	
5,903,461	May 11, 1999	Rostoker et al.	364/468.28	
5,905,881	May 18, 1999	Tran et al.	395/395	
5,914,887	June 22, 1999	Scepanovic et al.	364/491	
5,922,063	July 13, 1999	Olnowich et al.	710/132	
5,943,150	August 24, 1999	Deri et al.	359/133	
5,946,710	August 31, 1999	Bauman et al.	711/129	
5,963,745	October 5, 1999	Collins et al.	395/800.13	
5,964,886	October 12, 1999	Slaughter et al.	714/4	
5,966,528	October 12, 1999	Wilkinson et al.	395/563	
5,971,923	October 26, 1999	Finger	600/437	
5,978,578	November 2, 1999	Azarya et al.	395/701	
5,999,734	December 7, 1999	Willis et al.	395/706	
6,065,037	May 16, 2000	Hitz et al.	709/200	

RECEIVED  
MAY 02 2000  
Technology Center 2

APR 29 2002

EXAMINER INITIAL	PATENT NUMBER	PATENT DATE	NAME	CLASS/ SUBCLASS	FILING DATE
	6,094,715	July 25, 2000	Wilkinson et al.	712/20	
	6,119,215	September 12, 2000	Key et al.	712/19	
	6,155,725	December 5, 2000	Scepanovic et al.	395/500.1	
	6,161,191	December 12, 2000	Slaughter et al.	714/4	
	6,171,244 B1	January 9, 2001	Finger et al.	600/437	
	6,173,386 B1	January 9, 2001	Key et al.	712/10	
	6,189,111 B1	February 13, 2001	Alexander et al.	714/8	

### FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	FILING DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS/ SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
					YES	NO

RECEIVED  
MAY 02 2002  
Technology Center 210

### OTHER DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	AUTHOR, TITLE, DATE, PERTINENT PAGES, ETC.
EXAMINER	DATE CONSIDERED
EXAMINER: Initial if citation is considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with M.P.E.P. 609, strike out citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.	